

Our Case: RUH-339

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :
PETER LAPPE et al :
Serial No.: :
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For: CARBOXYLIC...HYDROXY- :
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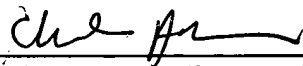
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

To comply with Rule 56, Applicants are submitting herewith a copy of the German search report issued in the German case corresponding to the above-identified application. Also enclosed are copies of the cited art and PTO Form-1449. Further discussion of the references is not deemed necessary at the present time.

Respectfully submitted,
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